



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **MAIL STOP: AMENDMENT**  
Takashi KUDO : **Confirmation No. 5122**  
Serial No. 10/808,413 : **Docket No. 2004\_0413A**  
Filed March 25, 2004 : **Group Art Unit 3725**  
METHOD AND DEVICE FOR : **Examiner Daniel C. CRANE**  
FORMING A PIPE

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**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED  
TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE  
FEES FOR THIS PAPER TO DEPOSIT  
ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed June 15, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows: